Please add new claims 23-37 as follows:

## New claims 23-34

- 23. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is obtained from a resin with melting point from 80 to 110°C.
- 24. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is a coextruded dual layer film, one layer of which is formed of a low melting polyester having a melting point from 50° to 200°C and the other layer is a polyester having a melting point higher than 200°C.
- 25. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is a film subjected on one side to a treatment capable to impart gas barrier properties or is coated with a layer of material having gas barrier properties, the polyester film having oxygen permeation rate lower than 70 ml/m² /24 h/atm.
- 26. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is metallized with Al or coated with a layer of aluminia or silicon oxide.
- 27. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is coated with a layer of potassium or lithium polysilicates.
- 28. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is obtained from a copolyethylene terephthalate in which more than 10% of the units deriving from terephthalic acid are substituted with units deriving from isophthalic acid.
- 29. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is made to adhere to the foamed sheet by using a polyester glue or by hot lamination.
- 30. Containers according to claim 16 in which the foamed sheet has a density from 10 to 500 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.
- 31. Containers according to/claim 16 in which the foamed sheet has a density from 100 to 200 kg/m<sup>3</sup>.
  - 32. Containers according to claim 16 having a thickness from 0.2 to 3 mm.
  - 33. Containers according to claim 32 having a thickness from 0.2 to 1.5 mm.

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- 34. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester resin of the foam sheet is selected from polyethylene terephthalate and copolyethylene terephthalates in which up to 20 % of the units derives from isophthalic acid.
- 35. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is adhered on both sides of the foamed sheet.
- 36. Recyclable containers for beverages or foods comprising a multi-layer polyester material in which the polyester resin forming the layers of the multilayer material is an aromatic polyester resin, the material comprising a layer of a foamed sheet having density lower than 700 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and, adhered to the foamed sheet, a heat-sealable film which is a coextruded dual layer film, one layer of which is formed of a low melting polyester having a melting point from 50° to 200°C and the other layer is a polyester having a melting point higher than 200°C, the container being obtained by folding said material along lines of a pattern creased or said material.
- 37. Containers according to claim 36 in which the coextruded dual film is adhered on both sides of the foamed sheet.

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## Clean version of all pending claims 16-21 and 23-37

- 16. Recyclable containers for beverages or foods comprising a multi-layer polyester material in which the polyester resin forming the layers of the multilayer material is an aromatic polyester resin, the material comprising a layer of a foamed sheet having density lower than 700 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and, adhered to the foamed sheet, a heat-sealable film of polyester resin, having a melting point from 50° to 200° C, the container being obtained by folding said material along lines of a pattern creased or said material.
- 17. Containers according to claim 16 in which the layer that comes into contact with the beverage or food is made of a polyester film adhered to the foamed polyester sheet, and in which the closure is realized by heat sealing on itself the polyester film adhered to the foamed sheet.
- 18. Containers according to claim 17 for fruit juices or sterilized milk in which the polyester film is treated on the side adhered to the foamed sheet with a material capable of conferring barrier properties corresponding to oxygen permeation rate lower than 70 ml/m²/24h/atm.
- 19. Containers according to preceding claim 18 in which the oxygen permeation rate of the treated polyester film is less than 10 ml/m²/24h/atm.
- 20. Containers according to preceding claim 19 in which the oxygen permeation rate is less than 0.3 ml/m<sup>2</sup>/24h/atm.
- 21. Containers according to claim 19 in which the polyester film is coated with a layer aluminum or Al and/or Si oxide.
- 23. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is obtained from a resin with melting point from 80 to 110°C.
- 24. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is a coextruded dual layer film, one layer of which is formed of a low melting polyester having a melting point from 50° to 200°C and the other layer is a polyester having a melting point higher than 200°C.
- 25. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is a film subjected on one side to a treatment capable to impart gas barrier properties or is coated with a layer of material having gas barrier properties, the polyester film having oxygen permeation rate lower than 70 ml/m² /24 h/atm.

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  - 32. Containers according to claim 16 having a thickness from 0.2 to 3 mm.
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- 35. Containers according to claim 16 in which the polyester film is adhered on both sides of the foamed sheet.
- 36. Recyclable containers for beverages or foods comprising a multi-layer polyester material in which the polyester resin forming the layers of the multilayer material is an aromatic polyester resin, the material comprising a layer of a foamed sheet having density lower than 700 kg/m<sup>3</sup> and, adhered to the foamed sheet, a heat-sealable film which is a coextruded dual layer film, one layer of which is formed of a low melting polyester having a melting point from 50° to 200°C and the other layer is a polyester having a melting point higher than 200°C, the container being obtained by folding said material along lines of a pattern creased or said material.
- 37. Containers according to claim 36 in which the coextruded dual film is adhered on both sides of the foamed sheet.